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LOCAL FRUIT CROP THREATENED BY TOO WARM WINTER

California deciduous fruit growers face one of the most serious threats to their crops that has ever been reported in this state, according to Dr. D. S. Brown of the Pomology Division, University of California College of Agriculture. This is due to the lack of chilling weather which is needed this time of the year for the normal tree growth and fruit production. Chilling is measured by adding the number of hours during which the temperature remains at or below 45° F.

During the last 22 years, early winter temperatures at Davis have shown an average of 300 hours below 45° F. up to the first of December. However, this year, according to Dr. Brown, only 94 hours were accumulated below 45° F. up to December 12. The lowest figure previously reported up to December 1, has been 170 hours.

NO REMEDY FOUND

Shedding of fruit buds at the time or before they would normally start to swell appears to be the result of the lack of early winter chilling. At present there appears to be no remedy in the form of sprays or chemicals that would be sure to prevent the buds from dropping.

Growers may help save a portion of their crop by modifying their pruning methods for this season, says Farm Advisor Lee Benson of the University Agricultural Extension Service, who is working with deciduous fruit in Alameda County. Two procedures may be followed. One is to delay all pruning until just before blooming when it would be possible to determine the extent of bud shedding and then prune accordingly. The second procedure would be to continue pruning with a minimum of brush removal. Pruning should be limited to thinning out the wood. No cutting back of the tops of the twigs should be practiced, says Mr. Benson, as this would remove the fruit buds which are most likely to produce fruit when there is a lack of chilling weather.

PRUNE WITH CAUTION

Growers are advised to proceed cautiously with pruning methods this season. They should be particularly careful about the amount of pruning which is done on bearing trees of apricots, most peaches, pears and apples. Bud shedding may also be expected in almonds and prunes during years such as this.

STUDENTS ATTEND RADIO BROADCAST

The Eighth Grade class of Niles Elementary School yesterday attended the Children's Standard Symphony Hour broadcast in Berkeley at the Community Theater.

Under the chaperonage of teachers Miss Mary Virginia Bristow, Oliver Pierce and Edward Turner, the 45 students left by school bus at 8:30 in the morning and returned that afternoon.

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NEW FIRE TRUCK FOR CENTERVILLE

The Centerville Fire Department on Tuesday accepted delivery of a new modern fire truck, the first to be added to the department since 1936.

The new truck, manufactured by the Coast Manufacturing Company, is mounted on an International chassis. It has a triple-combination pumper, capable of producing 750 gallons per minute. The truck also carries a 650-gallon water tank and a 35-foot extension ladder.

TOWNSHIP ADVISED TO PREPARE FOR FUTURE GROWTH

"We all realize that Washington Township is growing and that the bulk of the growth has not arrived. We are fortunate in that it will afford us time to prepare for that growth." Thus did John Thomas, engineer for the Alameda County Planning Commission, outline the merits of zoning at a public meeting held in Centerville Monday evening under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce.

Pointing out that the adoption of a zoning ordinance is purposely a slow process in order to allow everyone to know what is being acted upon, Thomas, and R. J. Wright, Irvington, chairman of the county planning commission, informed property owners present that many such meetings would be necessary before an ordinance could be effected. Another public meeting has been slated tentatively for next month.

"Zoning deals with land use. It divides a community into its natural areas for industries, businesses, residences and agriculture," Thomas said. "Any plan that might be arrived at will be your plan—the one that meets the approval of the land owner."

Thomas stated that to have a real plan for this area, Centerville and Niles must be considered with the three communities already zoned, Newark, Irvington and Decoto.

He said that if enough interest is shown by the land owners of a community, a tentative zoning map is drawn up for study. After this map meets the approval of the property owners it is filed and hearings on the proposed zoning ordinance held. The final adoption is made by the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

DECISION ON GRAVEL OPERATION DELAYED

Hearing on the application of D. A. Gildersleeve for a use permit to operate a gravel plant on 30 acres of property belonging to Mrs. Clarence Perkins of Centerville has been continued to January 30.

The continuance was ordered Tuesday by the Alameda County Planning Commission, which has authority to allow or refuse to allow new gravel quarries. The hearing was attended by several township residents.

Postponement until January 30 of the Planning Commission's decision was made in order that an engineering study of the proposed quarry determine whether the operation might have any effect on the flooding problem along Alameda Creek.

A resolution by the Niles Chamber of Commerce opposing the gravel operation was filed Tuesday with the Planning Commission. The resolution stated that the Chamber opposes any extension of gravel operations in Washington Township "as a matter of policy" because of the resultant destruction of farm land.

FORMER NILES MAN NOW CITY COUNCILMAN

Art Jacobsen, former Niles resident who has been living for the past 14 months in Garden City, Idaho, was visiting in Niles this week.

Mr. Jacobsen had to return to Garden City to take care of civic affairs as he is now a city councilman for Garden City.

LOSSES HEAVY IN DARING DAYLIGHT BURGLARIES HERE

Two daring daytime burglaries, with losses expected to total nearly $1,500, were staged in the township during the past week.

The home of Mrs. Grace Faria, Jarvis Road near Newark, was entered during the day Friday and a $350 television set, $281 in jewelry and $10 in coin taken.

Mrs. Faria told officers that she was away from home from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. Next-door neighbors were home, however, all but an hour of that time and sheriff's deputies believe that the burglars had been watching the home and made their raid during that hour.

SEEK WITNESSES

Officers have asked that anyone recalling seeing a console model television set being transported that day notify them immediately. The looters apparently made their get-away via Lowry Road, for papers taken in the raid were found there the following day.

The second and largest burglary was staged Tuesday afternoon at the Wesley Hotel on First Street, Niles.

The manager's room of the establishment was completely ransacked and loot valued at nearly $1,000 stolen.

Mrs. Marie Tonelli of Los Angeles, who is here managing the hotel, bar and cafe for her son, Nello Tonelli, during his vacation, told officers that approximately $550 in cash receipts, a valuable collection of old coins, $200 of her own money, and valuable securities were taken.

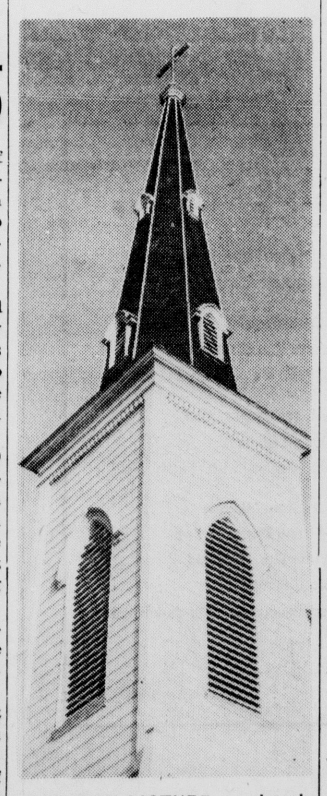
OWNERS AWAY

The office is located on the second floor of the building and was entered by forcing a locked door some time between 2 and 5 p.m. while Mrs. Tonelli was working downstairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Nello Tonelli left Niles on Sunday for Los Angeles for their first vacation since taking over the business here two years ago.

DEFENSE DIRECTORS WILL MEET MONDAY

Town directors of the civil defense program in Washington Township will meet Monday at 8 p.m. in the Justice Court in Centerville. Gene Manning, township director, has announced that the directors will be called upon to give reports on the progress they have accomplished in their communities.



MYSTERY PICTURE . . Local residents should have no difficulty in identifying the subject of the above picture in this week's "Guess Where" Contest, but may run into some difficulty in recalling where it is located. When you think you know, telephone The Register, Niles 3261 or 3271, after 9 a.m. If you are the first or twentieth to telephone and give the correct answer you will be mailed a check for $2.50.
—Register Photo

MOTORIST INJURED IN FREAK MISHAP

A five-car accident near Decoto about midnight Sunday resulted in one man suffering minor injuries and five drivers receiving citations from the state highway patrol.

The injured man, who was taken to Fairmont Hospital in the Township Ambulance, is Dale Palmer, P. O. Box 777, Centerville. Palmer was a passenger in a car driven by Anthony Lewis Perry of Niles. He escaped injury when the Perry machine struck a car driven by Dominago Carrillo of Decoto at the intersection of the Niles-Hayward and Decoto Road. However, after the accident he walked in front of the machine to inspect the damage, just as it was hit from the rear by an oncoming car. The parked car was pushed forward by the impact, knocking Palmer down and running over him.

The drivers were all cited for driving without due caution

STANLEY ELECTED VICE-CHAIRMAN OF COUNTY BOARD

The members of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors, at their biennial election held at the courthouse in Oakland on Monday, named Chester E. Stanley of Livermore vice-chairman of the county's key governing body.

Stanley, who represents Washington, Murray and Pleasanton Townships, is beginning his sixth year as a county supervisor. He succeeds Thomas E. Caldecott as vice-chairman.

The board re-elected Harry Bartell of Alameda as chairman for the third successive time. Bartell and George A. Janssen of Eden Township, both elected for new four-year terms in the June primay, took new oaths at the meeting on Monday.

All-in-all new political terms started Monday for 27 elective officials in the Alameda County government system. Not only did it mean the beginning of county careers for some of them, but it meant increased pay for a number of incumbents.

New faces in the courthouse circles include Russell C. Horstmann, assessor; Edwin S. Howell, county administrator, and Chris B. Fox, superior judge.

Incumbents beginning new terms are Sheriff H. P. Gleason, District Attorney Frank Coakley, Surveyor Wallace B. Boggs, Treasurer Roger Coit, School Superintendent Vaughn D. Seidel and Presiding Judge James G. Quinn.

PUBLIC INVITED TO UNUSUAL PROGRAM

Because of the importance and interest of the next program of the Washington Township Historical Society, scheduled for Thursday night, January 18, the public, including all local organizations and schools, has been invited to attend, free of charge.

The evening program, beginning at 8 o'clock, has been arranged by representatives of the Southern Pacific Company and will cover railroad transportation in the early days of Washington Township and Alameda County. Among the speakers will be Paul Power of Centerville, and James L. Merwin, Southern Pacific representative, known widely throughout the bay area for filling auditoriums when it is known that he will speak.

Merwin will show a 16 M.M. Southern Pacific sound and color film showing the beginning of transportation in California.

Harry A. Bradford of Hayward, speaker of the evening, will tell of some of the very interesting events and people of the recent past eventful years of this area, and will present several of the old-timers.

In addition, there will be a fashion display of authentic period costumes, 1850 to 1950, by the women—and perhaps a few of the men—of Washington Township.

Also on display will be two model railroads, over 60 years old, owned by Roland Bendel of Niles, and several other models, some old, some new.

JOSEPH E. PERRY APPOINTED FIRE CHIEF AT NILES

Joseph E. Perry, 848 Second Street, Niles, was appointed Niles Fire Chief on Tuesday evening by the members of the Fire Commission.

The new 41-year-old chief is a veteran of the Niles Volunteer Fire Department, first joining the local fire-fighters in 1931. He succeeds Clarence Crane, who submitted his resignation last week. He had served under Crane as second assistant chief since 1946.

Perry is a native of Niles, is married and has one son, Edwin Alvin Perry, a member of the senior class at Washington Union High School.

For his first official action as chief. Perry named Caesar Di Guilio, co-owner of the American Garage, as his second assistant chief. First assistant is Lawrence Avilla.

Perry, an employee at the Morton Salt Company plant in Newark for the past 20 years, explained that DiGuilio will be acting chief during the day. He added that he expects to name two new recruits to the department in the near future.

"The remainder of the fire company will remain the same and will continue to meet on Thursdays at 7 p.m." Perry said.

The members of the Fire Commission who named Perry to take over as chief of the department are A. M. Alves, chairman, John Brahmst and Leon Solon.

DECOTO GUNMAN SURRENDERED TO LAW BY ATTORNEY

Peter Leyva, 43-year-old Decoto tavern operator who had been the object of a police search since December 23 when he went berserk in a Decoto pool hall, surrendered to sheriff's deputies Tuesday.

Levya was turned over to the officers by his attorney, Edward Plottner of Oakland, and was immediately released on bail of $1000 pending his arraignment in Niles Justice Court on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

According to police reports, Leyva entered the pool hall about midnight on December 23 brandishing a pistol and declaring that he was going to kill someone. As the occupants of the pool room moved away from him, Leyva backed out the front door and began shooting.

The first two shots struck the front steps of the establishment. The third and fourth shots were fired through the open doorway, one striking Fred Sandoval of Decoto.

Sandoval was rushed to an Oakland hospital and is recovering from a wound in the abdomen.

NEWARK PACKING PLANT WORKER FOUND DEAD

A 54-year-old employee of the Yerington Packing Company was found dead along the corral at the plant about 10 a.m. yesterday. He was Clyde J. Armosino of 445 51st Street, Oakland.

Officers expressed the belief that Armisino died of natural causes while at work. However, an autopsy was to have been performed last night.

Coming Events

FRIDAY
St. James Church annual supper.
Basketball, W.U.H.S. vs. Live Oak, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY
Country Club Hobby Section annual party, P.G.&E. clubhouse.

MONDAY
Civil Defense directors meeting, Justice Court, Centerville, 8 p.m.
March of Dimes campaign opens.

TUESDAY
Newark Chamber of Commerce, Youth Center Building, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Mobile Red Cross Blood Bank unit, Niles, all day.

THURSDAY
Township Historical Society program, W.U.H.S., 8 p.m.

Settlement of Newark Strike Believed Near

Prospects for a settlement in the seven-weeks'-old strike at the Westvaco Chemical Corporation plant at Newark appeared brighter this week with union representatives and company officials compromising their differences on many of the points of controversy.

At a meeting held last Thursday at Hotel Leamington in Oakland, company officials submitted what they termed their "final" proposal.

Officers of the striking International Chemical Workers Union, Local 62, A. F. of L., late yesterday completed their tabulation of counter proposals to be submitted to the company.

For the most part the differences preventing a settlement have to do with wage scales.

WAGE CONTROVERSY

The union has asked for a 15-cent per hour increase and the company has agreed to an 11-cent boost.

The union seeks a 10-cent per hour differential for the men on the 4 p.m. to midnight shift instead of the present six cents, and a 15-cent differential instead of the present 10 cents for the midnight to 8 a.m. shift.

Premium pay of 10½ cents per hour for Sunday workers is sought by the union.

Thus far neither management nor labor have given ground on the union's demand for three weeks paid vacation for their men after five years with the company, instead of the present ruling of 15 years service.

Joe Seoane Jr., Decoto, union spokesman, said yesterday that there is also a controversy in regard to the language in the contract.

COMPROMISES MADE

According to Seoane, some of the points which have been settled include the demand for seven paid holidays per year; termination date of a new contract; retention of seniority; method of overtime, and manner of arbitration.

A meeting, which might possibly bring the local plant's first strike in 17 years to a conclusion, is to be held early next week.

In the meantime, Seoane said that the local union is receiving contributions from other locals to assist the idle workers through any financial difficulty. "We are able to take care of all emergency cases very well," he concluded.

MOBILE UNIT TO BE HERE WEDNESDAY

"Response to our requests for blood donors has been excellent," said Mrs. W. L. McWhirter, township blood bank chairman, in reporting on the current drive to procure blood donors in preparation for the visit here on January 17 of the Red Cross mobile unit.

She went on to say that those who wish to donate blood may still do so by registering with their town chairman.

The unit will be at the Niles Veterans Memorial Building from 9:30 to 3. Arrangements have been made to take care of eight donors every 15 minutes. Local volunteer women will serve as staff assistants and canteen workers.

The blood unit will visit the township every third Monday from now on, according to Mrs. McWhirter. Those who are not able to volunteer as blood donors for the January 17 visit of the unit, may register now for the February 19 visit.

The town chairmen who take charge of registration are: Mrs. Walter Connolly, Irvington; Mrs. Lois Bottenberg, Mission San Jose; Mrs. Marston Dassel, Niles; Mrs. Pat Hill, Alvarado; Mrs. J. V. Orsetti, Alviso; Miss Kato, Warm Springs; Mrs. Cline Hayward, Newark; Mrs. Bernie Joseph, Decoto, and Mrs. Ralph Goodwin, Centerville.

NEWARK CHAMBER TO ELECT

The Newark Chamber of Commerce will hold nomination and election of officers at its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Newark Youth Center building.

PICTURE PUZZLE IS IDENTIFIED BY 64 CONTESTANTS

Sixty-four persons telephoned The Register last week to identify the mystery picture in the "Guess Where" Contest, and only one failed to give the correct answer.

The first prize of $2.50 went to Mrs. Frances Tyson of Niles, who called promptly at 9 a.m. and identified the subject of the picture as the little Catholic chapel at Warm Springs, adjacent to the Warm Springs Elementary School on the San Jose Highway.

Winner of the second $2.50 award for being the twentieth person to telephone and give the correct answer, was Mary Maciel, Route 1, Box 60-B, Newark.

Residents from throughout the township had little difficuty identifying the mystery picture, with contestants calling in their answers from Centerville, Newark, Niles, Decoto, Alvarado, Warm Springs, Irvington and Mission San Jose.

One housewife who called breathlessly explained that she was afraid she might be a little late to be a prize-winner but she had to bundle up her four children and send them out to play before she could telephone her answer.

This week's mystery picture appears at the bottom of this page. When you think you know what it is and where it is located in Washington Township, telephone The Register, Niles 3261 or 3271, after 9 a.m. If you are the first or twentieth to telephone you will receive a check for $2.50.

Contestants who correctly identified last week's picture, in the order their calls were tabulated, were:

Frances Tyson, Niles; Mrs. Mildred Tucker, Niles; John Franco, Niles; Manuel Swartz, Niles; Mrs. Dolores Quartaroli, Niles; Rosalie Brown, Niles; Stewart Wilkinson, Niles; Marjorie Plummer, Niles; Rose Vieux, Niles; Albert Perez, Niles; Jeanette Vieux, Niles; Joe Semas, Mission San Jose; Mrs. F. A. Muller, Newark; Lupe Pulido, Niles; Aurora Rangel, Niles.

Katherine Myer, Niles; Walter Blake, Centerville; Florence Faria, Niles; Odessa De Monte, Centerville; Mary Maciel, Newark; Mrs. Russell Ross, Newark; Mrs. Ruby Alberts, Newark; Poly Sousa, Centerville; Mrs. M. A. Cunha, Newark; Vincent De Trant, Newark;

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By LAURA BROWN

NEWARK News Notes

50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry of Newark celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last Saturday night, January 3, at a San Francisco night club. Those present to help the pair celebrate were Mrs. Mae Francis of Centerville, Joseph Perry Jr. of Irvington, Bernardine and Pat Francis of Centerville, and Louis Perry and Sylvia Perry of Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry were married in St. Edward's Church in Newark in 1901 and have resided here ever since. Mr. Perry was an employee of the James Graham Manufacturing Co. until his retirement a few years ago.

VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown of Dairy Avenue received guests last Tuesday evening from Centerville. They were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Agna. The evening was spent watching television.

ATTEND BIRTHDAY PARTY

Your reporter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown, attended a birthday party last Monday evening in honor of Mr. Larry Medeiros in Mission San Jose. Those present were his wife, Mamie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Medeiros and daughter Cynthia, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrade, Grandpa Madeiros and Laura Azevedo, all of Mission.

NEWCOMER AT GYGAX'S

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gygax of Olive Street have welcomed a charming little girl into their home recently. She is about three weeks old and has been named Denise Louise.

WOMEN'S CLUB MEETS

The Women's Improvement Club held their first meeting of 1951 Tuesday at the Youth Center. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Buschke, Mrs. Gunn, Mrs. Guerrero and Mrs. Pine.

LAURA LOMA PARLOR TO MEET JANUARY 16

The officers and members of Laura Loma parlor, N.D.G.W., will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, January 16. The business meeting will start promptly at 7:30.

The officers will practice with officers from Betsy Ross Parlor, Centerville, for the official visit of Anna T. Schiebusch, grand president, to the two parlors, Tuesday evening, February 20, at Boliba's Hall, Niles. Ivy Cull and Leontine Rose are in charge of refreshments for January 16.

Attention Patrons!

Due to increased costs, our rates for garbage collection service were increased January 1 to $1.00 per month for 28-gallon containers; $1.25 for 28 to 40 gallons; $1.50 for 40 to 52 gallons.

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Here's to Your Health

By DR. JAMES C. MALCOLM
Health Officer, Alameda County Health Department

How do we find the people with tuberculosis?. Since people with early tuberculosis have no symptoms, many people who have tuberculosis do not know it. They do not know that they may be giving the disease to their family and friends. The chest x-ray is the best method known today for finding people who may have tuberculosis, who may be spreading it to others.

An x-ray alone is not a diagnosis. It discovers people who need careful medical examination for possible tuberculosis. To the physician belongs the job of thorough examination of persons with suspicious x-rays. He may use additional x-rays, fluoroscopic examinations, and laboratory tests before making a final diagnosis.

You are familiar with the big white x-ray truck of the Alameda County Tuberculosis and Health Association. You may wonder what happens after you step up to the x-ray machine for a picture. The film is studied by one, and often more, physicians with special training. Then you are notified that your picture was either "satisfactory" at that time or "questionable." We also receive a report on questionable or suspicious films so that a public health nurse can contact you. Often it is necessary to explain that the report does not mean that you have tuberculosis; but it does mean that a medical check-up is advisable even though you feel well. The nurse may also explain where there is a free diagnosis clinic for families unable to afford a family physician. She will also explain that every adult should have a chest x-ray every year so that possible tuberculosis can be found in its earliest stage, when it is still easy to cure. Through x-ray it is often possible to discover tuberculosis before there are symptoms of sickness. Treatment can be begun at once before the body is greatly damaged.

If you were found to be sick with tuberculosis, members of your family with whom you had lived for at least three months, or your close business associates would be called "contacts." This means they would be expected to have a chest x-ray also to make certain they had not also caught the disease from you.

You can see that the more people who have chest x-rays, the more likely we are to stop the spread of tuberculosis from person to person.

Some 350 miles of underground mine workings lie beneath Grass Valley.

MISSION CHURCH GROUP ELECTS

Mrs. Winifred Fernandez of Mission San Jose has taken over her duties as new regent of Court Father Francisco de Lasuen, No. 1508, Catholic Daughters of America, Mission San Jose.

Other newly elected officers who will head the organization during the coming year are: Mrs. Norene Mendonca, vice-regent; Mrs. Minnie Abreu, prophetess; Aldina Garcia, lecturer; Mrs. Betty Andrade, treasurer; Mrs. Hortense Cunha, financial secretary; Mrs. Vivian Escobar, historian; Mrs. Anna Mae Campagna, monitor; Mrs. Marie Egan, sentinel; Margaret Gemignani, organist; and Mrs. Mary Rodrigues and Mrs. Louise Correia, guides.

MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

By LOIS BOTTENBERG

LEAVES FOR MARINES

We are sorry that Stoney Mayack had to leave our little town temporarily but it was because he was called to the colors and left immediately after enlisting in the U. S. Marines for training in San Diego. He is the youngest son of Ann Mayock of the Los Amigos Winery.

BLOOD DONORS REGISTER

Blood donors are needed badly for the Mission area. How about you? Will you? If so, please contact Mrs. Bottenberg, chairman, at the post office.

Lois Bottenberg

A JOLLY PLACE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Koelsch and son, David, is a jolly place now, for her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidt, from Medford, Oregon, arrived, after braving all sorts of storms to spend several weeks vacation with the family.

RETURN FROM MINNESOTA

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tommerdahl of "Ben's Chicken Shack" have returned home from a month's vacation in Thief River Falls, Minnesota with Mr. Ben's folks. His parents came back with them to spend a few weeks. While they were gone Jake and Dot Koelsch and son, David, ran their business for them.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Santos and children spent Sunday and Monday at the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bottenberg. They make their home at Lakeport.

IMPROVING

We are all glad to know that Mrs. Mary Escobar (Mrs. Henry) is back in her home here feeling much better, following quite a lengthy stay at the Livermore Sanitarium.

A diplomat is nc different than any other person except that he has more time to make up his mind to do the wrong thing.

Have you read the Want Ads?

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that, VERNON F. LEAL, of P. O. Box 26, Irvington, California, will sell to LELAND A. STEINMETZ and VIRGINIA STEINMETZ, his wife, of R. F. D. Box 4, Irvington, California, all his right, title and interest in and to the following described personal property:

THAT certain grocery store business known as LEAL'S MARKET, situated at 131 Mission Street, Irvington, Alameda County, California;

TOGETHER with all merchandise, supplies, fixtures and equipment, belonging to the sellers located therein, and used in connection with said business.

TOGETHER with off-sale Beer and Wine license B-11815-F, issued to said premises.

Said sale will take place on the 29th day of January, 1951, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Law Office of NORRIS & BROUN, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California.

There is no consideration being paid for the transfer of said Beer and Wine License. Consideration or price for transfer of the balance of said personal property is to be paid at the time and place of sale, as herein specified.

Dated: January 9, 1951.

VERNON F. LEAL
Seller

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 114003 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the estate of FRANK J. FURTADO, JR., also known as F. J. FURTADO, JR., deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 3, 1951.

ROSE E. FURTADO
Administratrix of the estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
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- 4-Speed Synchro-Mesh Transmission (in heavier models)
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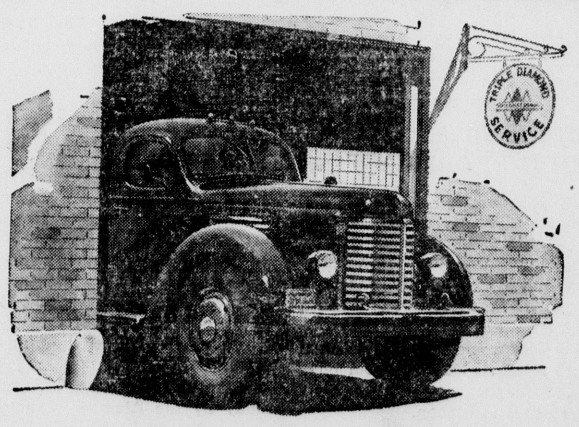

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A business and social meeting of the Confraternity of St. Anne was held at the Newark Youth Center on Monday evening, Jan. 8. Mrs. Catherine Scamman, newly appointed president of the Confraternity, is planning many social events to make her term of office enjoyable.

The first, a Valentine pot luck supper, will be held at the Newark Youth Center on February 5. Chairlady Mary Gastelum will be assisted by Belmeda Caldeira, Emma Dias, Frances Sevaria, Mary Lotti, and for decorations, Cynthia Collins.

The second event will be a St. Patrick food sale to be held on March 17, committees and place of sale to be reported later.

After the business meeting, an hour of whist was enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Mary Silva, Mrs. Anna Hernandes, Miss Berneice Caldeira, and Miss Lida Francis. Others present at the meeting were President Catherine Scamman, Julia Harris, Emma Dias, Jean Runnels, Frances Sevaria, Belemeda Caldeira, Lenora Nunes, Serafine Mendes, Louise Quadros, Pat Bender, Mary Gastelum and Cynthia Collins.

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TROUBLE

Upon calling up one of my dearest friends, Mrs. J. J. Cordeiro, the other day, I found that she was having her bit of trouble since her husband's heart attack last Friday. And, as if that wasn't enough, she also told me this will be three weeks that her brother, Frank Brown, has been hospitalized at the Fairmont Hospital. To you, Frank and Jack, we send you cheer and wishes for a speedy recovery.

CELEBRATION

It was a family celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Decker last night (Thursday) in observance of Joanne Decker's eighth birthday. Grandma Laura Ferreira and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ferreira and two daughters motored here from Oakland. Present also were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Simerlay and son from Decoto. I hope you had a very happy birthday, Joanne, and here are some belated birthday wishes for you.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

It pleases me very much to write of another organization that has been formed in our little town just last Friday evening. The "Birthday Club," organized by Mrs. Frank Azevedo, met for the first time at the home of Mrs. Danny Oliver on Eleventh Street. The twelve members include Vivienne Dunn, Eva O'Malia, Annie Azevedo, Ethel Avilla, Mae Watkins, Margaret Scorpiniti, Florence Wallace, Linda Cunha, Frances Avilla, Katie Luna, Hazel Costa and Zelma Oliver. The next meeting will be held on January 26 at the home of Ethel Avilla. Vivienne Dunn will be hostess, honoring Hazel Costa, who recently celebrated her birthday. The guests at last Friday's meeting were served cake and coffee by the hostess.

NEW HEIR

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Diosdado are proudly announcing they have a son, Robert Suzman, born just one day after Christmas, the 26th of December, in Hayward. Robert tipped the scales at 6 pounds and nine ounces.

HOLY ROSARY GUILD

The Holy Rosary Guild held their monthly meeting last Tuesday evening at the Decoto Fire Station. The meeting was called to order by President Stella Caldeira. After the minutes were read by Secretary Mary Re, the new business was discussed. The main topic of interest was about the whist party to be held by the club on Friday, Feb. 2, at the Decoto Elementary School. Admission price is only 50c and Annie Azevedo is chairman. The members were honored to have both Father McEnery of Corpus Christi Church and Father Ralph Duggan of Holy Rosary Church. Grace Caminada was named publicity chairman. After several other discussions, the meeting was adjourned. Vivian Peixotto, hostess, and her committee for this month provided the delicious refreshments of cake and coffee.

P.T.A. MEETING

A board meeting of the Decoto P.T.A. was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Elmer Peixotto. The P.T.A. also had their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 10, when the members enjoyed a talk by an outside speaker.

CAR ACCIDENT

Dale Palmer of Centerville was struck by a car in which he had been riding when two approaching automobiles plowed into the wreckage as he got out to inspect damage to the vehicle after it had collided with one driven by Dominago Carrillo of Decoto. Carrillo attempted to make a left turn off Niles Road onto Decoto Road in a heavy fog and was hit by a car driven by Anthony Lewis Perry of First Street, Niles. Palmer was a passenger in Perry's car.

GOOD LUCK

Here's hoping, Stella Caldeira, that our good wishes will bring you cheer when you are due for that major operation next week. Good luck and a speedy recovery.

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Mary Maia and Manuel Andrade, both of Decoto, who lost their brother, Joseph Andrade, this week.

WE'LL MISS YOU

Rex Rowlett left Tuesday morning to be among Uncle Sam's men. We will certainly miss you around here, Rex, but good luck and a speedy return home.

BOY SCOUT DISTRICT COMMITTEE TO MEET

Representatives of the 40 organizations in Southern Alameda County using the Boy Scout or Cub Scouting program will meet Wednesday, January 24, at 8 p.m. in the Hayward Area Recreation District building, E and Main Streets, Hayward.

Together with members of the operating committee and officers, the Institutional Representatives form the Southern District Committee of the Oakland Area Council. The meeting will consider finance, special activities, especially Boy Scout Week celebration, and summer camping.

FARM LAND VALUESCONTINUE UPWARD

Prices of farm real estate in California increased five per cent in the period from July to November, 1950, and now stand at 209 per cent of the prewar level. Farm Advisor Lee Benson of the University of California Agricultural Extension Service says this figure compares with an advance of four per cent in the country as a whole for the same period, as reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

California land values have spurted upward with the recent rise in prices of farm products, and the expectation that this trend will continue.

Many non-farmers have made inquiries about farming opportunities in California in recent months, according to Mr. Benson. However, most non-farmers will find it hard to enter California agriculture because of the high capital requirements which are steadily going higher.

After a decline for three years, activity in the farm real estate market is increasing all over the country. Most of the demand comes from business men and investors who want good farms as an investment hedge against inflation, farmers who want to increase their business or invest their surplus cash, or persons who have been waiting until land values drop and have decided to buy since the market turned upward.

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Jewel Salad Oil	Quart Glass	63¢
Pineapple	Highway, Half Slices No. 2 Can	2 for 45¢
Grated Tuna	Torpedo—6-oz. Can	23¢
Fruit Cocktail	Libby's—No. 2½ Can	29¢
Beets	Anytime—Sliced or Diced—No. 2 Can	2 for 25¢
Corned Beef Hash	Silver Skillet 16-oz. Can	35¢
Gardenside Peas	No. 303 Can	2 for 27¢

THERE'S STILL TIME TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SAVINGS OFFERED DURING THIS BIG EVENT

Another big week of values for you. "January Value Days" continue until Saturday night, bringing you a once-in-a-great-while opportunity to save money on fine foods. Whether you were in last week or not, you will find new ways to pamper your purse now at Safeway. A check of the prices in this ad will give you an idea what's in store for you.

BUDGET BUYS FOR THE "PENNY-WISE"

Lipton Soup Mix	Continental-Noodle 2-oz. Package	3 for 29c	Rosetta Prunes	Medium—2-lb. Package	43¢
Peanut Butter	Real Roast—24-oz. Glass	49¢	Pork & Beans	Taste Tells—No. 2½ Can	15¢
Peaches	Black Knight, Standard Halves No. 1 Can	2 for 29¢	Dill Pickles	Hunt's, Sliced—25-oz. Glass	23¢
Mrs. Wright's Bread	White or Wheat Large Loaf	21¢	Westfair Apple Juice	Quart Glass	23¢
Strawberry Jam	Wilson's—12-oz. Glass	29¢	Heinz Tomato Soup	11-oz. Can	3 for 29¢
Cheerios Cereal	7-oz. Package	2 for 29¢	Sno-White Salt	Plain—24-oz. Package	5¢
Kraft Dinners	Package	2 for 25c	Old Mill Cider Vinegar	Quart Glass	14¢

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Tide Suds, large pkg.....25c

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Pancake Flour, 4 lb sack..47c

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1 lb tin 79c 2 lb tin $1.57

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Tuna, bite size, 6½-oz.....25c

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FATAL ACCIDENT AT WARM SPRINGS

A head-on truck accident near Warm Springs early Saturday morning brought instant death to Eugene Gilbert Nutter, Oakland, 18-year-old driver for the Cassou Bakery.

The accident occurred on the three-lane section of the Warm Springs-San Jose highway, one-half mile south of the Warm Springs Elementary School.

Nutter's truck collided with a truck owned by the Earl Heple Company of San Jose and driven by John C. Nunes of San Jose. Nunes escaped injury.

According to officers, Nunes had driven his truck into the center lane to pass another northbound truck, when his machine veered into the southbound bakery truck.

FIRST AID COURSE STARTS IN NEWARK

A Red Cross first aid course, beginning January 16, will be held in Newark, at the school kindergarten, according to an announcement this week.

The course will be conducted in two separate classes, one an afternoon class and one an evening class. Both classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, lasting two hours at each session, and will end on February 3.

The instructor for the afternoon class, which starts at 2:30, is Mrs. Stella Benbow, while Irving Hird will take charge of the evening class, commencing at 7 o'clock.

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MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN OPENS HERE ON MONDAY

Five hundred and six "reasons" why Alameda County residents should support the March of Dimes for infantile paralysis, opening on January 15, are the county's victims of this dread disease who were assisted during 1950, campaign workers pointed out this week.

The drive here this year, as in the past seven years, will be headed by J. V. Goold and E. Dixon Bristow, co-chairmen. They have announced that the distribution of the Wishing Wells—contribution boxes—will be conducted by the school students in each community under the direction of the school principals. Theater operators have also pledged their assistance in supporting the drive, the co-chairmen revealed this week.

Mrs. W. H. Chivers, president of the Washington Union High School P.T.A., has accepted the chairmanship of the P.T.A. organizations and Mothers Clubs of the schools of the township, to conduct an intensified campaign on the evening of January 30.

Mrs. Chivers said this week that all persons willing to assist in the campaign on that date are invited to attend a movie, to be shown the evening of January 25 at the high school. This movie will instruct the volunteers on the "surprise" campaign which will be conducted here.

Pointing to the need of additional contributions, Fred C. Wells, treasurer of the Alameda County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said that $78,262.69 was spent to assist the 506 patients. He said that this sum, several thousand dollars more than was raised in the last March of Dimes, completely exhausted the county polio chapter's treasury.

NILES CANDY MAN SUCCUMBS IN BERKELEY

William Rouse, former Niles resident, passed away at his Berkeley home Monday evening.

Niles residents will remember him as the "candy-man" who made such delectable sweets and sold them at the Niles Bakery a couple of years ago.

A brother-in-law of Mrs. M. L. Fournier of Niles, he is survived by his widow and two daughters by a former marriage.

JOSEPH ANDRADE CLAIMED BY DEATH

A solemn high requiem mass was sung at Holy Ghost Church in Centerville on Thursday for Joseph Andrade, 64, prominent Centerville rancher who died at his home on the Centerville-Alvarado highway Monday.

Mr. Andrade, a member of the firm of Andrade Brothers, had been in failing health for some time. He was a native of Decoto and a member of the Woodmen of the World, Camp 146, Centerville.

He was the brother of Mrs. Mary Naia and Manul Andrade of Decoto, Henry Andrade of Alvarado, Lenora Andrade, George Andrade, Mrs. Rose Dutra and William Andrade, all of Centerville.

Entombment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward, under the direction of the Chapel of the Palms, Centerville.

DISTRICT SCOUT LEADERS NAMED

Washington Township Adult Girl Scouts held their first meeting for the 1951 year on Friday, Jan. 5, at the Centerville Elementary School.

Presiding over the meeting were the newly elected officers, Mrs. J. V. Orsetti, president; Mrs. John McGowan, vice-president, and Mrs. Frank Margarido, secretary-treasurer.

The following district officers and committee members to the Hayward Area Girl Scout Council were named for Washington Township: Mrs. Lydia Orsetti and Mrs. Marion McGowan, co-chairmen; Mrs. Betty Margarido, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Ruth Silva, finance; Mrs. Rae Lamoreux, establish camp; Mrs. Doris Souza, day camp; Mrs. Lillian McDermott, public relations; and Mrs. Orsetti and Mrs. McGowan, organization.

A Red Cross junior first aid course was urged for all Girl Scout troops by Mrs. Frances Roeding, Niles Girl Scout leader.

IRVINGTON YOUTH CENTER WILL SPONSOR MOVIES

Irvington, without a motion picture theater for the past several months, is to again have movies, but not on a commercial basis.

A. C. Laughlin, director of the Irvington Youth Center, announced this week that full-length movies will be presented every other Friday evening in the elementary school auditorium. Any and all profit realized will be used toward improving the Youth Center, McLaughlin said.

The first picture, to be shown at 7 o'clock tonight (Friday) will be "When My Baby Smiles at Me," starring Betty Grable and Dan Dailey.

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Two storms rolled in over this area during the week, dumping 1.15 inches of rainfall and hail and causing minor damage by accompanying high winds.

This area was lashed by high winds, driving rain and hail about 2 a.m. Wednesday with .49 of an inch of rainfall recorded in little more than an hour.

Showers during the night Wednesday boosted the rainfall total another .20 of an inch, according to the rain gauge at the Southern Pacific depot in Niles.

A violent wind and electrical storm struck the entire bay area Thursday morning, but Washington Township was fortunate in missing the center of the storm, which caused major damage across the bay. Another half-inch of rainfall and hail, driven by gusts of wind that reached velocities of 40 miles-per-hour, drenched the township.

Rainfall for the season, since July 1, now totals 13.84 inches, well above the totals for the same period during the past seven years.

FIRST AID CLASS TO START IN NILES

A class in First Aid to be given at the Niles Elementary School will start Monday, January 15, at 7:30 p.m., it was announced this week by L. R. Batman, director of Civil Defense for Niles.

J. R. Truscott of Newark will be the instructor. All those in Niles who have signed up for first aid should be at the school Monday evening so that the class can be arranged for the convenience of the majority. Any persons wishing to take the course but who have not signed up are also asked to attend the meeting.

CENTERVILLE CUB SCOUT APPOINTMENTS REVEALED

The appointment of Paul Orsetti as denner and Johnny Kleine as assistant denner of Centerville Cub Scout Den No. 2 was announced this week by Richard Silveira, den chief.

Cubs, working under the supervision of Mrs. George Kay and Mrs. J. V. Orsetti, den mothers, are preparing skits and woodcraft for display on the coming achievement night.

LUNA NAMED ON DISTRICT BOY SCOUTING STAFF

Norman P. Luna of Niles has been appointed a member of the Southern District Commission staff, assistant District Commissioner Kenneth Sage announced this week. Luna was a Boy Scout and later served three years as Scoutmaster of Decoto Troop 1.

ALVARADO CHAMBER ELECTS OFFICERS

The directors of the Alvarado Chamber of Commerce have elected Warren J. Silva, teller at the Central Bank in Alvarado, to serve as president during the coming year. He will succeed Walter J. Oakey, bank manager, as head of the Chamber.

Other officers elected were: Florenz Cunha, vice-president; L. H. Maffey, secretary, and John Meneze, treasurer.

The first meeting of the year, with the new officers presiding, will be held at the fire hall on Thursday, January 18, at 8 p.m.

Tony Vargas and Angelo Dekidos, co-chairmen of a committee named to investigate flood causes at Alvarado, have been asked to make a report at next week's meeting. Supervisor Chester E. Stanley has also been asked to have a representative of the county engineer's staff and the county flood control commission present at the meeting.

NEW PAYMENT SYSTEM FOR TELEPHONE BILLS

For the convenience of telephone subscribers in making payment for their service, self-addressed return envelopes will be included with all telephone bills, beginning this coming month, according to K. Kenchelian, Pacific Telephone manager.

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RINSO	Soap Powder — Large Size	.26
M. J. B. COFFEE	1 lb 79¢	2 lb $1.56
Pork & Beans	Hunt's No. 2½ Can	.17
BISQUICK	Large Package	.39
Cake Mix	Betty Crocker Devil's Food	.29

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Perrys Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Perry of 1160 Thornton Avenue, Newark, were feted with a dinner party on January 3 on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. The couple was the guest of their children and grandchildren at an enjoyable evening spent at Bimbo's 365 Club in San Francisco. Present were their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Francis of Centerville; their two sons, Louis Perry of Newark and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Perry, Irvington; and their grandchildren, Bernadine and Pat Francis Jr. of Centerville, and Sylvia Perry of Newark.

The couple was married in Newark in 1901 and have lived in that community since that time.

Return from New York

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diamantine of Centerville, returned home recently after a very interesting and pleasurable trip to New York City. They planed from San Francisco to New York, then flew back as far as Detroit, and picked up a car in Detroit and motored back home.

While in New York they took in many of the well-known night clubs including the Stork, and Leon and Eddy's. Mrs. Diamantine, whose first trip it was to the big city, was highly impressed by the shops on Fifth Avenue.

From Iowa

Mr. R. E. Baker arrived this week from Ames, Iowa, for an indefinite stay at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, the W. F. Lamoreuxs of Niles.

Miss Georgia Laughlin Announces Engagement

At a recent cocktail party and buffet dinner in Oakland, Miss Georgia Laughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Laughlin of Niles, and Richard Lynch, son of the late Joseph M. Lynch, San Francisco attorney, and Mrs. Lynch of Oakland, announced their engagement.

A small dinner party at the home of Georgia's parents was held on Christmas Day in honor of the pair.

Miss Laughlin is a graduate of local schools and is now employed as a dental assistant in San Jose.

The pair plan to be married after Dick has completed his studies at the University of California. —By Laura Brown

Out of Town Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Agna of Centerville entertained the following guests last Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bettencourt of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oliver and daughter Deanna of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Becker of San Jose, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of San Francisco. The guests stayed for a midnight supper.

Their First

Nancy Jane is the name bestowed upon their first-born by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burns of Niles. The young lady arrived at the San Jose Hospital last Friday night, weighing seven pounds and one ounce at birth. Her mother is the former Norma Biale.

Nancy Jane is Mrs. Jack Biale's first grandchild.

Betrothal Told

Mrs. J. C. Cavanagh of Niles has announced the engagement of her daughter, Helen Everett, to John R. Franco.

Helen is formerly from Topeka, Kansas. She has made Niles her home for the last seven months.

Her fiance, a Niles man, is employed at the steel mill.

From Redwood City

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Taylor of Redwod City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Batman last Saturday. Mr. Taylor has just returned from Hollywood where he supervised production of a picture made from one of his mystery stories, "The Man with My Face."

Delicious refreshments were served.

Office Nurse Leaves After Fifteen Years

After almost fifteen years of being employed in Dr. Grimmer's office, Mrs. Esther Goularte Rogers has packed her baggage—and her three children—and moved down to Coronado to be with her husband, Chief Storekeeper Clifford Rogers. He has been down there since October, and just recently was able to find a house for his family.

In Dr. Grimmer's office now are Mrs. Isabel Vargas, Mrs. Dave Dickinson (Martha Grimmer) and Mrs. Kelly.

Game Enthusiasts

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LeCount and daughter, Mrs. Maryilyn Bernard, of Newark, are among those who are still talking about the Rose Bowl game. They were down there to see the Parade and the game, staying at the home of Mrs. LeCount's brother. Mrs. Bernard's husband was unable to be with them—for a very good reason. He is training with Uncle Sam's Army at Fort Ord.

Visit from Navy Man

Ensign McCallum was a visitor of the Roland Bendels last week. Serving aboard the USS "Valley Forge," he was in port in San Francisco and took advantage of a short leave to pay a visit to the Bendels. He is a friend of Roland Jr.

On Snow Trip

Warren and Maynard Enos, sons of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Enos of the Mission Road Sanatorium, will leave this week-end for a snow trip in the Sierras. They are going with a group of young people from Oakland.

Wed in Reno

Helen Russell of Irvington and William T. Tucker, a seaman from Forney, Texas, stationed at Moffett Field, made it mister and missus last Saturday when they went to Reno and said their "I do's."

The couple is living in Irvington. The bride is employed at the Township Cleaners in that town.

Return to Midwest

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Peterson of Lincoln, Nebraska, departed via train for their home on Monday after spending the holidays with their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Mara of Newark.

Snow Trip

Mr. and Mrs. William Hazel and children of Niles will motor up to Auburn for the week-end and are hoping to run into some snow.

HELEN EVERETT
Engagement Announced

Niles Man Goes Into the Army

Mrs. Helen Oliver of Niles was hostess at a farewell party last Saturday night for her grandson, Ronald Oliver, who left Tuesday for one of Uncle Sam's Army camps.

At the party were Ronald's bride and other relatives. He gives up a position as chemist for the Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Company in Oakland. His wife will continue her position at the Central Bank in Oakland.

The couple has been living in Oakland since their marriage.

Recuperating

Mrs. Albert George of Irvington has returned home from the hospital and is recuperating from an infected foot. During Mrs. George's absence from the post office, Mrs. Manuel Guardanapo has been substituting.

Tea Hostess

Mrs. Jack Lee of Ellsworth Orchard, Niles, was hostess at a tea at her home last Wednesday afternoon, in honor of several new residents who have moved into the Orchard.

Return from Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Langner of Canyon Heights and their two children, Pamelia and Barney Jr., returned Tuesday from a three weeks' trip to Plattesburg, Missouri, where they spent the holidays with Mr. Langner's parents.

Recuperating

Jill Holly Johnson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Revere Johnson of Deer Road, Canyon Heights, is recpuerating from an attack of the mumps. She expects to return to school next Monday.

CUB LEADERS SET ROUNDTABLE FOR

Cub leaders from throughout the Southern Dictrict will meet at the Quonset Hut at Eden Congregational Church, Hayward, Monday evening for their monthly Roundtable.

Theme of the meeting will be Blue and Gold Celebrations, and will feature planning for the Annual Boy Scout Week celebrations. High point of the 1951 celebrations will be the Exposition and Cub-Scout Shows in Hayward, Centerville and Livermore. Local packs will participate by setting up booths, and demonstrations. Window displays, Parents Blue and Gold dinners, and Cub-Scout Sunday, February 11, will also be features.

Packs are invited to send all of their leaders to the Roundtable in which crafts and den and pack meeting ideas are demonstrated and practiced.

To Enter Show

"Polka-Dot Pepper" is the name of the Dalmation that Mary Lou Lamoreux, high school senior of Niles, will enter at the annual Golden Gate Kennel Show in San Francisco this month. Mary Lynn, an experienced equestrienne, has also become a dog-fancier.

From Paso Robles

Guests at the John Faria home in Centerville last Tuesday were their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Talbert of Paso Robles.

In the Hospital

Mr. Fred Stearns of Niles is in Highland Hospital, Oakland, recuperating from an operation performed Tuesday morning. His many friends are wishing him a speedy recovery.

LARGE CROWD HEARS NEWS COMMENTATOR

An unusually large crowd was on hand last Tuesday at the Country Club house in Centerville to hear John K. Chapel, well-known radio commentator, give an informative and comprehensive talk on the "International Pattern."

A dynamic speaker, Mr. Chapel held the audience of Country Club women completely under his spell for more than an hour discussing our relations with Russia and with the rest of the world.

His speech followed a buffet luncheon, served under the direction of the Program and Music committee.

A new member, Mrs. Alice Tuchsen, was voted into the club during the short business meeting which followed Mr. Chapel's lecture.

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WHAT SHOULD WE EXPECT OF THIS LEGISLATURE?

Applying a yardstick of common sense and sound appraisal for use in this critical period, James Mussatti, general manager of the California State Chamber of Commerce, has developed a program which he entitles "What California should expect of its Legislature in 1951."

"We must all remember that these are crucial times in which we are living," the Chamber leader declared. "The stark necessity to preserve the nation and make it secure demands that all of us, including government, give up our frills and extravagances. We need security not only in a military sense, but in an economic sense as well. We must do all those things which will enable the economy to run at full speed and to outproduce the enemy in every field."

LEGISLATIVE STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE

With that statement as a background, Mussatti outlined eight points for conscientious consideration of the Legislature:

1. That it will apply the yardstick of economy and efficiency in measuring the value and importance of, and the necessity for, every piece of legislation passed.

2. That it will flatly and conclusively reject every piece of proposed legislation for which there is not a real need.

ELIMINATE WASTE

3. That it will, to the best of its ability, eliminate all superfluous and overlapping machinery in the administration of the state's business.

4. That it will give its full support to all measures to place improved business methods in effect in the conduct of government business.

5. That it will view no measure solely from the standpoint of local or sectional interest, but as it may affect the state as a whole.

6. That it will consider itself as trustee for every citizen of California, and that it will look upon public funds as trust funds and consider itself morally bound to conserve these funds in the interest of the citizens of the state.

7. That it will keep the proposed state budget within the revenue available.

8. That it will reject all demands of pressure groups to increase the benefits of social legislation beyond the capacity of the California economy to pay the bill.

CUT SPENDING

Farm and city people alike can join in helping to make such a program effective. Only as the voters become active in expressing their thinking, particularly along economy lines, will it be possible to reduce public expenditures materially.

The enormous federal tax burden that is being and will be levied on the people strongly points up the need for extreme economy in the state budget.

Such a program can well be adopted by the citizens of this state and passed on to the legislature and all public officials.

JOINS THE MARINES

Stoney Mayock, 21, son of Mrs. Anna Mayock of Irvington, has enlisted in the Marines and left Monday for boot training in San Diego.

She's Winning Over Polio

Infantile paralysis struck Mrs. Marguerite Dunn more than ten years ago, but this young mother of Fresno, California, refused to give up. Here she is shown in Fresno County General Hospital physical therapy pool, attended by Physical Therapist Helen Cadwallader. Not shown, but still very much in picture, is the March of Dimes which is helping Mrs. Dunn back to recovery.

READERS WRITE US

Mr. L. R. Batman
Township Register
Niles, California

I am grateful to you and your newspaper for your thoughtful cooperation during my visit to Decoto in November. It is encouraging to know that we have the good will and cooperation of an important element of the community life in which we are about to participate.

With best wishes for the New Year, I am

Sincerely yours,
DONALD ARMSTRONG
President United States Pipe and Foundry Company

HEAVY RAINFALL INCREASES NEED FOR NITROGEN

Because of the unusually heavy rainfall this season, in many parts of the state, growers of spinach, onions, garden peas, lettuce, and broccoli should use more nitrogen fertilizer than in years of low rainfall.

This advice comes from Farm Advisor Lee Benson, after discussion with Oscar Lorenz of the truck crops division of the University of California at Davis.

Results of tests run for the past 10 years in most important vegetable-growing areas of the state have shown that winter vegetables make greater yields and mature earlier if the amount of nitrogen fertilizer applied is stepped up in seasons of heavy rainfall. Such crops usually also respond well to phosphate, said Mr. Benson.

Many a hot head develops cold feet when someone calls his bluff.

WATER EXPERT TO AIR VIEWS

Members of the Alameda County Water District Board, and other localites interested in the water situation in this area, are planning to attend a public lecture next Tuesday evening, January 16, at 8 o'clock in the Life Sciences Building of the University of California campus at Berkeley.

"Who Worries About Water?" will be the title of the address to be made by Dr. Abel Wolman, professor of Sanitary Engineering at Johns Hopkins University.

Dr. Wolman, in coordinating the report of the nine task committees of the Engineers Joint Council, played a key part in the development of recommendations to the President's temporary Water Resources Policy Commission this year.

His lecture, dealing with water conservation, development, and use, will cover such aspects of the water problem as domestic and industrial supply, flood control, drainage, and power, with particular reference to critical water problems of California.

STATE AID FOR NEW JUVENILE HALL

The State of California has approved the request of Alameda County for $750,000 state funds for use in the construction of the new Alameda County Juvenile Hall next to the Fairmont Hospital at San Leandro.

Estimated cost of the building is $2,157,123, according to Architect Andrew Haas. Bids will be opened on February 6, states Supervisor Chester Stanley.

ALAMEDA COUNTY POPULATION DROPS

Alameda County is one of ten in California which appears to have had a small decrease in population in the nine months since the April, 1950, census, California Taxpayers' Association revealed this week.

Population of the county at January 1, 1951, is estimated by the association at 731,800, down three-tenths per cent from the 733,999 reported by the 1950 federal census preliminary.

Most of this relatively small drop is accounted for by seasonal fluctuations in population, the census preliminary being for April and the Taxpayers Association figure for January, the association pointed out.

Population of the county went from 513,011 for April, 1940, to 733,999 for April, 1950, a 43.1 per cent increase.

California population, statewide, was 10,757,250 at January 1, 1951, an increase of 1.6 per cent in the nine months since April, 1950, census.

REBEKAH OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED

The recently elected and appointed officers of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge No. 336, I.O.O.F., will be installed on January 19 at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington, under the direction of Anna Andresen, district deputy president of District 53, and staff.

The officers to be installed will be: Edna Hescher, noble grand; Elizabeth Mendenhall, vice-grand; Irma Wright, recording secretary; Fern Mitte, financial sercetary; Ivy Cull, treasurer; Cecile Caldwell, warden; Nellie Talley, conductor; Agnes White, chaplain; Ellen Mohn, musician; Anna Van Buskirk and Ruth Meck, supporters to the noble grand; Irva Marble and Anna Bradford, supporters to the vice-grand; Anna Fields, inside guardian; Irma Belding, outside guardian; Justine Adams, color bearer. Irene Bales will be seated as past noble grand.

The following will be appointed as altar bearers: Dagne Anderson, Laura Fragulia, Aileen Smith, Grace Reinking, Florence Hale and Virginia Yarbrough.

Irma Belding and committee will have charge of refreshments, and Florence Hale the table decorations. The lodge hall will be decorated by Justine Adams and committee. Ivy Cull and Irma Wright will have charge of the evening's program.

Ever notice how many people start giving youngsters good advice as soon as they get too old to set a bad example themselves?

HUSKIES IN FIRST HOME CONFERENCE GAMES TONIGHT

The Washington Union High School basketball squads, each with a win and a loss in S.C.V.A.L. conference play, may be seen in action tonight (Friday) when they host the Live Oak quintets in a conferences double-header scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

The Washington varsity, one of the rangiest quintets ever to wear the Orange and Black and a strong contender for the conference crown, is favored to come out on the long end of the scoring tonight.

In their opening conference tilt last Friday the Washington Puppies went down to a 31-36 defeat handed them by San Jose Tech. Nieves led the Puppies in the scoring department with 12 points. Coach Don Wolfe's Puppies could have turned the loss into a victory, however, had they been able to convert their free-throw attempts into points. The local lads missed all but nine of their 26 charity tosses.

Coach Clyde Voorhees' varsity quintet, in their game against San Jose Tech, got off to their usual slow start, but managed to overcome the deficit and score a 46 to 41 victory. Ralph "Whitey" Juhl, scoring ace for the Huskies, accounted for 21 points, sinking seven field field goals and seven free throws. Davis was second high with 11 points.

The Huskies game was an on-again-off-again affair with the local lads pouring 34 of their 46 points through the nets in the second and fourth quarters.

In Tuesday's conference tilt against Willow Glen, a new school in the league, the Puppies nosed out their opponents 43 to 41 in a hard-fought scoring duel. Nieves and Orozco shared honors with 12 points each.

The Huskies, however, suffered their worst defeat of the season, 54 to 37, to the newcomers. The Willow Glen quintet took an early first-quarter lead, which the Huskies were never able to overcome. The Huskies' defense crumbled in the final period, allowing the visitors to roll up 16 points.

ROUGH WEATHER CAMP SCHEDULED

A Council Routh Weather camp planned at the Council Planning Conference last fall will be held at Rancho Los Mochos, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 20-21, according to Stanley State, chairman of the Los Mochos Committee.

Troops and Posts prepared to camp out in wind and rain are invited to participate. Specialists will be on hand to assist leaders in pitching a rough weather camp. A demonstration camp will be on display.

Units from throughout the Council with the equipment and training to carry out camping in wet weather will participate, according to State. It is hoped that the camp will promote more knowledge of properly caring for oneself in bad weather.

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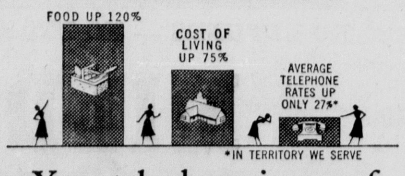

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Thinking Things Over . : :

By VIVIAN BATMAN

Some very nice person sent me a copy of the Los Angeles Times' Midwinter edition. I imagine it was someone who was down south at the Rose Bowl game. Thank you very much, Mr. or Mrs. Anonymous.

RAINY DAY LAMENT

Postmaster Manuel Lewis of Centerville must still be feeling the effects of the Christmas mail rush.

The other day he drove his car from the post office to the bank, because he didn't care to walk in a pouring rain.

Forgetting that he had driven the car, he walked back. Then had to make a return trip—still in a pouring rain—by foot, to retrieve the parked car.

By this time Mr. Lewis, weary, foot-sore, and very, very damp, hadn't the heart to resent any sly comments that he was "all wet."

WEEK'S MYSTERY

The mystery of the week is: How did a certain local cafe find out that it was Dr. Tom Wilson's birthday?

Last Wednesday noon, the Niles dentist was dining in said cafe with his "gang" when suddenly appeared one single solitary cupcake, adorned with one single solitary candle. The waitress brought it in with a cheery "Happy Birthday."

COMPLAINT DEPARTMENT

Everybody, it seems, is joining first aid classes or talking about joining one.

There is one prominent citizen in the township, however, who is voicing a complaint about the first aid classes.

"They shouldn't conduct the classes in mixed groups," he said. "They should have women in one class, and men in another."

This man, in his fifties I would say, refuses to be considered an "old fogy" because of these ideas.

"Let me explain what I mean," he went on. "You start giving artificial respiration to some pretty girl, and—what happens? Well, I'll tell you what happens. Your wife glares at you. And besides, maybe the girl thinks you're getting fresh—when you have no intentions of doing so—and altogether the whole purpose of first aid is defeated.

"On the other hand," he continued, "if you give artificial respiration to some elderly woman, you run into a steel corset, maybe. You're sunk, either way."

DON'T SAY IT!

There is one little phase commonly used that is packed with dynamite, as far as I am concerned. It is that time-worn expression, "You look tired today."

Whenever anyone says that to me, I become explosive. Not on the surface, perhaps, for I always smile wanly and reply, "Yes, I feel very tired. I've been working hard."

But it's just a cover-up. Inside I am boiling. I dont feel tired at all, and my vis-a-vis knows it. (There's one for you, Phil).

Why can't he—or it's usually a she—be honest? What she really means instead of "You look tired" is: "You're looking your age today, my dear" or "My, all the lines are showing on your face," or "Of course, you have to start aging some time," or "You look as though you need a good facial or something."

Don't ANYbody ever tell me again I look tired! I will start throwing whatever is handy at the moment, even if it's the hot lead out of the linotype machine.

NEW PLYMOUTHS ON DISPLAY SATURDAY

The 1951 line of Plymouth cars will go on display in dealer showrooms here and throughout the United States on Saturday, January 13, is was announced this week by Bruce K. Steele, assistant general manager, Plymouth Motor Corporation.

Steele is in San Francisco to conduct a two-day preview of the new Plymouths for dealers, newspapermen, and radio-television representatives at the Fairmont Hotel.

Featured among the many new improvements are new riding qualities which are described as producing "comfort, smoothness, riding and driving ease, and stability."

To assist in identifying the various models, Plymouth this year has established three distinct series for its new cars: The Concord, the Cambridge and the Cranbrook.

NEWS NOTES FROM DECOTO SCHOOLS

CHRISTMAS PARTY

For Christmas both eighth grade classes had a Christmas party. There were different kinds of dances. Cora Gonzales and Joe Pena danced the mambo. We had punch and soda to drink. We ate different kinds of cookies that the teachers brought. Ronald Castro, Anita Fletcher, Madeline Hernandez and Rosemarie Gonzales took care of the records. Annie Bolivia and Margaret Pagan took care of the check room for coats. We all had a lot of fun.

—Santos Villa

The eighth grade of Mr. Morningstar's room gave a party for Christmas. They also invited Mrs. Sponseller's room. For refreshments we had lemonade and cookies. We had dancing. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. We also invited the school trustees.

—Gloria Loma

On Friday, December 15, the eighth grade class of Barnard School had a Christmas party at the Decoto School. Committees were elected to arrange the party. On the decoration committee were Pio Villa, Jessie Sausedo, Gloria Loma, Albert Rodriguez, Margaret Pagan and Santos Villa. Invitations were made by Louisa Coria, Frank Martin and Cecilia Luevano. The refreshment committee was composed of Mike Hernandez, Andy Flores and Sereldo Mata. On the record committee were Ralph Martinez, Madeline Hernandez, Ernie Soto, Rose Marie Gonzales and Ron Castro. All the students enjoyed themselves and had plenty to eat. The party was over at 10:30 p.m.

—Ralph Martinez

Our school fashions seem to be getting better. Rosemarie Gonzales has a very beautiful plaid skirt and a green vest to go with it. Anita Fletcher has a very beautiful lime green sweater with a collar on it.

Cecelia Luevano has a very becoming hair do. Take a look at her, girls. You'll like it and you'll like her too.

Margaret Pagan has a very pretty gray skirt. Annie Bolivia has a very pretty silver chain belt.

—Jessie Saucedo

We of the seventh grade class gave Mr. Kane's room a party. We also gave an amateur hour. William Gomes was the announcer for the party. The ones who were in the amateur hour were Gloria Loranzo, Bengi Morales, John Santiago and Richard Gonzales. Mrs. Piexotto brought punch and cookies and Mrs. Braga brought cake and three or four dozen cookies which we all appreciated. We had a nice party, so we would like another one soon. There were about six couples dancing. A hope everyone had a nice Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We, the seventh grade, also trust The Township Register had a nice Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We have been in school two days now. Yesterday we had a nice study period for science.

We are indeed ready to start the New Year with a "bang." There are so many interesting things we can do. Let us all try to make this spring term an outstanding one. We have a fairly good start in basketball, with more than a marginal turnout for both the heavyweight and lightweight squads. We propose to have a good season in basketball.

Your class reporter signing off until the next deadline.

—Mabel Braga

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GIRL SCOUTING

On Monday, Jan. 8, Centerville and Alviso Girl Scout Troop No. 66, under the supervision of Mrs. J. V. Orsetti, Mrs. George Valles, and Mrs. Angie Sabina, leaders, resumed meetings at the Centerville Elementary School after the holiday vacation.

At this time Patty Bettencourt was appointed Juliette Low representative to the Hayward Area Girl Scout Council.

Plans for participation in the Juliette Low World Friendship program were made at this time.

World trefoil, world gifts and Junior Citizen badges were voted to be troop projects for the next Court of Awards, to be held some time in March.

Troop committee mothers registered to assist with the 1951 Scout activities are: Chairman Mrs. Lillian Maloney; secretary, Mrs. Helen Kay; treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Silva; hospitality, Mrs. Elsie Silveira; committee to all, Mrs. Lee Silva, Mrs. L. Accinelle, Mrs. I. D. Jones, Mrs. D. Lanotte, Mrs. J. Pierce, Mrs. Mary Bettencourt, Mrs. Rose Bettencourt, Mrs. J. L. Berney, Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Mrs. Van Rhea Sweeney, Mrs. Margaret Goodwin, Mrs. R. Linder, Mrs. Ramona Reina, Mrs. F. Mings and Mrs. Alice King.

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RITES SUNDAY FOR MRS. LOU BAKER

Mrs. Lou Jane Baker, 85, of Irvington, was laid to rest in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Irvington on Sunday, following services conducted at the Berge Mortuary by the Rev. Robert F. Hakes, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Niles.

Mrs. Baker died on January 4 in a San Jose hospital following a lingering illness.

She was the wife of the late William E. Baker; mother of J. C. Baker of Irvington, J. T. Baker of San Bernardino, E. J. Baker of Firebaugh, and Agnes Nelson of San Luis Obispo. She was a native of Springfield, Missouri.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH ANNOUNCES ACTIVITIES

Services, Sunday, January 14, second Sunday after Epiphany: Holy Communion at 8 a.m., Church School at 9:45 a.m., and morning prayer and sermon at 11. A nursery is provided at the Rectory during this service.

Tuesday, January 16, 7 p.m., Young People's Fellowship.

Thursday, January 18, 7:30 p.m., choir practice.

Sunday, January 21, 8 p.m., there will be a Sunday evening service with a religious film instead of a sermon.

At a recent meeting of the Altar Guild the following officers were elected for the year: Mrs. Warren Gravestock, president; Mrs. Blake Hill, vice-president; Mrs. Harvey Granger, secretary-treasurer.

At its regular weekly meeting, January 9, the Young People's Fellowship elected the following officers: Barbara Manning, president; Farley Granger, vice-president and director of worship; Renee Jones, secretary; Edna Zimmerman, program chairman; Beverly Lopez, recreation chairman, and Anita Bailey, refreshment chairman. Those elected at the first meeting were only temporary officers.

Miss Olive Hoskins attended the Diocesan Alta Guild in San Francisco January 10.

The 1951 budget figure of $62.37 was voted by the Vestry Monday evening.

The annual meeting of the Parish will be held this evening (Friday) at 6:30, beginning with a dinner served by the Altar Guild. The cost is $1 per person, 75c for children. Katie Whalen will sing and it is hoped the choir will sing a few numbers. Following the dinner, the annual reports will be read, three vestrymen will be elected and two delegates to the annual convention in San Francisco January 30 and 31, will also be elected, one of whom must be a woman.

Say you saw it In The Register.

HOME ECONOMIST ADDRESSES P.T.A.

A cooking lecture and demonstration was presented for the members of the Irvington Elementary School P.T.A. at their meeting last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Esther Day, home economist for the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. The 45-minute program was entitled, "Don't Blame It on Your Oven."

Mrs. Tom Pereira, president, presided, and named Mrs. Jack Adams, Miss Irma Bond and Mrs. Joe Burnsed to the committee to recommend the recipient of the Life Membership Pin, to be awarded in February. Mrs. A. Maloney will be in charge of the Founders' Day program to be held on February 1.

The meeting was closed with the serving of refreshments by the students of the third grade, assisted by Miss Irma Bond and Mrs. L. Armstrong.

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The members of the Past Presidents' Club of St. Jude's Institute, Y.L.I., of Irvington, met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Anne Rose to formulate plans for their third anniversary dinner on January 31 at Lou's Village in San Jose.

The president and vice-presidents of St. Jude's Institute have been invited to attend, as have the husbands of the members.

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The five were Mrs. Anna Serpa, Mrs. Geraldine Rogers, Miss Antoinette Pimentel, Miss Dolores Garcia, and Mrs. Dora Forsyth.

INSTALLATION FOR KLATAWA COUNCIL

Klatawa Council No. 251, Pocahontas, will hold formal installation ceremonies next Wednesday evening, January 16, at Boliba Hall, Niles.

The meeting commences at 8 o'clock.

IRVINGTON COMMUNITY CHURCH ACTIVITIES

"The Choice of a Master" will be the sermon topic at the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday at the Irvington Community Presbyterian Church, according to Cecil Rhoades, student pastor.

The service will be preceded by a Sunday School for all ages at 10 a.m.

Mr. Rhoades announced that a meeting of the elders and trustees of the church will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, and choir practice is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

HOBBY SECTION PARTY SATURDAY

The Hobby Section of the Country Club will hold its annual party for members and their husbands this Saturday evening at the P. G. & E. club house, Newark.

Mrs. E. M. Grimmer Jr. is chairman of arrangements.

SEEKING EMPLOYMENT

A new source of labor supply was opened this week for residents of Irvington.

The Boy Scouts of Irvington, each faced with the problem of earning $22.50 by June 1 to pay for their uniforms and help pay toward the cost of their summer camp, are canvassing the community for work.

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HOMES—OR GRAVEL HOLES?

Last week we printed the announcement that work is under way on the construction of 608 new homes at Tareyton Village adjoining Decoto. And in that same issue we published a notice to the effect that a hearing was to be held before the Alameda County Planning Commission on the issuance of a use permit for a new gravel pit between Niles and Centerville.

The new 608-home subdivision and the proposed new gravel pit are scarcely a stone's throw apart, a circumstance which poses the question: Can growth and destruction proceed side by side?

Will the ruination by gravel excavation of 30 acres more of good land be of any value to growing Washington Township?

Is it better to have homes or gravel holes?

With two other township men, we attended the Tuesday hearing of the Planning Commission at the Court House in Oakland. This body of our county government has the recently granted authority to issue or to refuse permits for gravel excavation.

We were pleased to see that the Commission continued the hearing until a later date so that a thorough engineering study of the proposed 30-acre excavation could be made. Our County Planning Commission is trying to do a good job.

It is obvious, of course, that sand and gravel aggregates are necessary for building construction and for construction and maintenance of our roads. But why should good farm land and good potential homesite land be ruined for all time?

We believe that the permit for the new gravel operation should be denied. The loss—forever—of 30 acres more of valuable Washington Township land would be tragic.

Already there has been enough destruction of our level land. This area is rapidly being transformed from agricultural to residential use—and you can not build a home on a worked-out gravel hole.

The obvious answer to the whole problem presented by the gravel-digging industry is for the County Planning Commission, in co-operation with the County Engineer, to set up a master plan which would designate areas from which gravel could be taken with least hazard to the future of the Washington Township community.

The need for such a study is indicated, for example, in the problem of the future bridging of Alameda Creek. Presently there is no bridge across the creek between the state highway at Niles and the Bell Ranch on Decoto Road. If the creek area between is widened by unplanned, indiscriminate gravel excavation, it will be impossible or prohibitively expensive to bridge the creek.

Another factor to be considered is the potential of land over a long period of years. Good level land is valuable, either for farming or for residential use; and it forms the whole basis of the property tax system. If it is transformed into gravel holes it is of no use or income value to anyone in future years—and since it becomes valueless it ceases to be useful to our county as taxable property.

This is the problem faced by the Alameda County Planning Commission: Shall we have homes—or gravel holes?

Let us hope the Commission forms a policy which will give proper considerataion to the long-range future of Washington Township.

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FIRST AID CLASSES INCREASING HERE

Ten standard first aid classes are now meeting regularly in Washington Township under the auspices of the Washington Evening School and more are scheduled to begin sessions next week, according to Warren Gravestock, evening school principal.

Classes are now meeting in Warm Springs, Irvington, Centerville, at the high school. Niles, Newark, and Alvarado. Instructors in charge of the classes are Clyde Voorhees, Judson Taylor, Mrs. Stella Benbow, Paul Stanfield, Irving Hird and John Ray Truscott.

Gravestock said this week that he is hopeful that a home nursing class for women can be started in the near future.

PICTURE PUZZLE

(Continued from page 1)

Mrs. Paul Cunningham, Newark; Mrs. Charles Beebe, Niles; Kenneth Garcia, Decoto; Joy Mello, Niles; Paul Paniagua, Decoto; Fay Castro, Irvington.

Helen Bettencourt, Newark; Mrs. L. J. Murphy, Niles; Ray Alberts, Newark; Jack Moser, Niles; Mrs. Tony Rivers, Centerville; Miss Chris Guerra, Decoto; Mrs. L. M. Robinson, Irvington; Florence Matthews, Niles; John Gomes, Irvington; Mrs. Luella Frick, Irvington; Farley Granger, Niles; Mrs. Roy Springer, Newark; Mrs. Mariana Mendonca, Centerville; Mary Ponsiano, Centerville; Kenny Guiera, Niles; Evelyn Comfort, Niles.

Mrs. Lyle Buehler, Niles; J. C. Gregory, Irvington; Gay Richards, Warm Springs; Jerry Gellerman, Niles; J. S. Brown, Warm Springs; Donnie Martin, Decoto; Anita Bailey, Alvarado; Cynthia Goodwin, Centerville; Mrs. John Faria, Centerville; Vernon Bradley, Niles; Mrs. Teresa Martin, Decoto; Shirley Bertola, Niles; Mrs. George Scamman, Irvington; Shirley Roderick, Niles; Elaine Borge, Irvington.

AT CAMP ROBERTS

Recruit Herbert Cartwright of Niles has been assigned to Camp Roberts, Calif., to begin his military training.

Recruit Cartwright, whose wife, Mrs. Rossetta Cartwright, resides at Canyon Heights Drive, Niles, has been assigned to Company D, 23rd Armored Infantry Battalion, 7th Armored Division, at Camp Roberts.

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